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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(A))**

Applicants in the above-identified application hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to and including July 7, 2006 for responding to the Office Action mailed February 7, 2006 (Paper No. 20060205). A divisional patent application is being filed in lieu of a response to the Office Action.

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